Visit White House, Where Conference Is Held-Standing to Be Carefully Investigated-Charges Made Pick Another Partner for Contract.

President Roosevelt last evening gave a nearing to William J. Oliver and Anson M. Bangs, who, on January 12, submitted mingham; H. W. Lindsay, Frank Barnabee, and John T. Wills, the latter four are confident of securing the contract," being friends and counsel for the bidders. Mr. Oliver was then besieged by a dozen According to the report, the organized onstrate their responsibility.

ried on by the McArthur-Gillespie combination, which submitted the third lowest bid, seems to have centered upon Mr. Bangs. At the conclusion of the conferwithin a few days.

It was said that the canal commission desires to investigate the Oliver-Bangs plan," Mr. Oliver said yesterday. otherwise, of carrying on the work of enactment of special legislation. construction. The investigation princi- plan, however, will be considered." pally concerns the record of Mr. Bangs, who, it is alleged, failed in a number of contracts and was also implicated in som way in the Savannah River frauds.

May Pick Another Partner. There will possibly be a curious situation if it is found that Mr. Bangs has not the standing to warrant his being Mr. Bangs should be declared ineligible, the canal commission has the power to permit Mr. Oliver to select some one else who would be entirely satisfactory to be associated with him.

last night tired out. No sooner would he start a conversation with one person than he would be interrupted by some one else hastily he is called away he never forwill return in a few minutes. Surrounded by fellow business men, Mr

Oliver spent much of his time yesterday and last evening in the lobby of the Raleigh Hotel. A reporter for The Washington Herald requested an interview. He drew to one side and began the con-

Asked About Charges,

"What do you think of the charges preferred against you by the other contractor?" was asked.

"It's all in the course of human events."

Telegram, telegram, Mr. Oliver.' shouted a page boy, and before the ques-

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, Washington, Monday, Jan. 21, 1907—8 p. n Special Flood Bulletin.

Madison and Louisville Tuesday morning with stages of about 56.5 feet to 57 and 40.5 to 41 feet, respectively. No changes from previous forecasts are indi-cated in the lower river.

ated in the lower river.

The Lower Mississippi rise continues steadily, and tages as follows are indicated below Helena within The stage at Evansville Monday mo

General Forecast.

Pressure is high throughout the country, but a decided fall since Monday morning over the Middle Mississippi Valley is causing some snow in the Upper Mississippi Valley, the Upper Lake and Western Lower Lake region; elsewhere the weather was generally clear, except in Washington and Western Montana, where there were residue.

Temperatures have fallen decidedly in the Atlantic States, where they are from 5 to 15 degrees below the seasonal average; elsewhere they have risen, es-

considerably warmer.

There will be snow Tuesday in the Lake region, River. extending Tuesday night and Wednesday into the Middle Atlantic States and New England. There will also be rain of snow Tuesday in the Upper Ohio Valley, and probably snow Wednesday on the windward shores of the Lower Lakes.

Witnesses Unable to Pick Him as

Temperatures will rise in the Atlantic States, and they will fall Tuesday night or Wednesday in the Missouri and Middle Mississippi valleys, and proba-bly on Wednesday in the Ohio Valley. The winds along the New England and Middle Atsoutheasterly; on the South Atlantic coast light to fresh northeasterly; on the Gulf coast light to fresh northeast to east, and on Lake Michigan fresh and

Steamers departing Tuesday for European ports

* will have fresh and variable winds, becoming easterly, with fair weather to the Grand Banks.

Local Temperatures

Midnight, 34; 2 a. m., 30; 4 a. m., 28; 6 a. m., 26; 8 a. m., 24; 10 a. m., 25; 12 noon, 27; 2 p. m., 30; 4 p. m., 28; 6 p. m., 24; 8 p. m., 24; 10 p. m., 22. faximum, 34; minimum, 22.
Relative humidity—8 a. m., .54; 2 p. m., .44; 8 p. Rainfall, trace. Hours of sunshine, 9.9.

Temperatures in Other Cities. Temperatures in other cities, together with the as in the city proper. 8 p. m. yesterday, are as follows:

				TPSTTIT.
	Max.	Min.	8 p. m.	tall
Asheville, N. C	38	23	34	
Atlanta, Ga		28	44	hara.
Atlantic City, N. J	26	20	20	avek.
Bismarck, N. Dak	8	-10	-4	T.
Boston, Mass	26	20	20	T.
Buffalo, N. Y	14	12	14	T.
Chicago, Ill	22	4	0.0	0.02
Cincinnati, Obio		14	32	****
Cheyenne, Wyo	48	34	40	160
Davenport, Iowa	30	6	30	
Denver, Colo	60	31	48	****
Des Moines, Iowa	32	6	28	
Galveston, Tex		48	51	****
Helena, Mont		40	40	T.
Indianapolis, Ind		10	28	
Jacksonville, Fla		38	50	
Kansas City, Mo		23	44	
Little Rock, Ark		30	50	****
Marquette, Mich	4	-8	2	2443
Memphis, Tenn	50	32	48	2272
New Orleans, La	54	42	52	North Control
New York, N. Y		20	22	T.
North Platte, Nebr	50	18	36	
Omaha, Nebr	42	8	42	
Pittsburg, Pa	20	10	20	2000
Salt Lake City, Utah	52	18	30	
St. Louis, Mo	48	16	- 46	
St. Paul, Minn	. 0	-11	0	0.01
Springfield, Ill		12	31	****
Vicksburg, Miss		39	59	1

cused himself and was absorbing the contents of the message. He had received GREAT ARMY READY

three in a bunch. He is also receiving suggestions from people in all parts of the country, telling him how to build the great trench. The outline of the writer's plan in some of the letters is absolutely absurd, while others are ingeniously thought out, but in most complicated beyond any practleability.

CAN DIG THE PANAMA DITCH

A letter was received yesterday by Mr.
Offiver suggesting the best way to dig
the Culebra cut was by means of dynamite. The writer's idea was that all
along the cut wells be excavated at different points. When this task had been completed all the contractor had to do would be to fill the wells with an im mense charge of dynamite, touch off the Only Against Bangs-Oliver May fuse, and the great blast would accomplish the work that has been puzzling government officials and others for years. The letter has been placed on file

Gets Chance to Speak, Finally Mr. Oliver had another chance

to speak to the reporter. "I do not blame the President in the the lowest bid for the contract to con- least for taking time in deciding the construct the Panama Canal. There were tract," he said. "The job is a big one. present, besides Mr. Oliver and Mr. Bangs, The question stands to-night just as it of the army on the militia of the country. Secretary Taft, Chairman Shonts, of the did this morning. There has been abso-Canal Commission; Eugene Fles, of Bir- lutely no change in the situation. We are

At the meeting Messrs. Oliver and Bangs others, and was engaged from that time militia of the District of Columbia and produced facts to show themselves finan- until he finally succeeded in getting to all the States and Territories on Decemcially capable of carrying out the great his room for the night. In addition to ber 31, 1905, aggregated 112,390, while the contract, and also other evidence to dem- men looking for subcontracts, Mr. Oliver unorganized militia aggregated 13,257,491. also has received enough communications The reserve militia is composed of every The fight against Oliver and Bangs, car- from persons applying for positions, and able-bodied male citizens of the United others personally, to organize a small- States, and every foreigner who has desized army

Will Consider Convict Plan. ence at the White House, it was an- master at Macon, Ga., has written to it is possible for the President to call to be required to make an annual report nounced that a decision in the matter of President Roosevelt and Mr. Oliver sug- upon every citizen thus specified, in time to the District government on March 1 the award would probably be reached gesting that convict labor from the United States be employed in digging tically the powers of conscription.

the canal.
"I have not thoroughly considered this concern to the very utmost, so that there employ convicts on the job would require little is given as follows: General officers, would be absolutely no question concern- some time to put the system in working 46; general staff officers, 987; regimental ing their ability, both financially and order. Besides, it would necessitate the

STEVENS VISITS WASHINGTON. Declines to Discuss His Appoint-

ment by Gov. Hughes. The Hon, Frederick C. Stevens, State superintendent of public works of New 1,674. not the standing to warrant his being given the contract. It is claimed that if National Bank of the city, was in Washbring him so often to Washington that specting officers to be inefficient. this, too, is his home.

The recent appointment of Mr. Stevens Mr. Oliver, who came here from Knox- by Gov. Hughes, of New York, was a lical divisions and departments, as shown Mr. Oliver, who came here from Knox- by Gov. Hughes, of New York, who came here from Knox- by Gov. Hughes, of New York, who came here from Knox- by Gov. Hughes, of New York, who came here from Knox- by Gov. Hughes, of New York, who came here from Knox- by Gov. Hughes, of New York, who came here from Knox- by Gov. Hughes, of New York, who came here from Knox- by Gov. Hughes, of New York, who came here from Knox- by Gov. Hughes, of New York, who came here from Knox- by Gov. Hughes, of New York, who came here from Knox- by Gov. Hughes, of New York, who came here from Knox- by Gov. Hughes, of New York, who came here from Knox- by Gov. Hughes, of New York, who came here from Knox- by Gov. Hughes, of New York, who came here from Knox- by Gov. Hughes, of New York, who came here from Knox- by Gov. Hughes, which was a moment to great surprise to the politicians, as it had by special inspections made during the spring of 1966: of Mr. Stevens' senatorial district, which rendered it impossible for him to secure a renomination, he had been politically he would be interrupted by some one else on business equally important. The contractor is most polite. No matter how hastly be is called away be never for the contractor. The contractor is most polite. No matter how the proper forms of the contractor is most polite. No matter how the proper forms of the contractor is most polite. No matter how the proper forms of the contractor is most polite. No matter how the contractor is most polite. The contractor is most polite in the contractor is most polite. The contra hastily he is called away he never for-gets to excuse himself and say that he greater part of the \$101,000,000 barge canal will be built. Mr. Stevens, before he left, declined to discuss the political situation public questions.

STUDENTS NEED NO LICENSE.

lege Boys Sell Books.

ioners are in receipt of a num ber of letters from the firm of W. H. Low- 104; h. dermilk & Co., book dealers, in which they Pac he replied. "So far as my good faith is allege that students of the George Wash- eral e replied. So far as my good faith is ington University, Georgetown University, airy, and Howard University are acting as tillery book agents for out-of-town fied check for \$200,000 unless I intended to ceiving a commission on all books sold. Pital The firm contends that these students But, Mr. Oliver, what do you think come within the provisions of the law which provide that commission merchan shall pay a tax of \$40 per annum,

License Inspector W. J. Donovan, to whom the matter was referred, yesterday submitted the following report to Assessor

E. W. W. Griffin "In company with Inspector R. C. Mel-The Ohio River is falling as far down as Cincinnati, where the maximum stage reached was 65.2 feet, the universities mentioned therein by 15.2 feet above flood stage and the highest stage of records, with the exception of those of February 15, 1883, and February 14, 1884, which were 66.4 and 71.1 leads and February 14, 1884, which were 66.4 and 71.1 leads and February 14, 1884, which were 66.4 and 71.1 leads and February 14, 1884, which were 66.4 and 71.1 leads and February 14, 1884, which were 66.4 and 71.1 leads and February 14, 1884, which were 66.4 and 71.1 leads and February 14, 1884, which were 66.4 and 71.1 leads and February 14, 1884, which were 66.4 and 71.1 leads and February 14, 1884, which were february 15.2 feet above flood stage and the highest stage of the universities mentioned therein by students in the schools, and find that the students confine their transactions strictly 1883, and February 14, 1884, which were 66.4 and 71.1 leads and 1884 leads an teet, respectively. The cold weather has had some to the universities in which they study fleet in lowering the flood crest, which will reach and I do not think the students referre

FLOOD SUFFERERS APPEAL.

ks: Arkansas City. 53; Greenville, 48, and Residents of Kentucky Town Send Telegram to Commissioners.

An appeal for financial aid has been re flood sufferers of Augusta, Ky. Commis- stage manager. sioner Macfarland yesterday received the

be glad to receive and transmit any conmated that at least 15,000 people are pecially in Kansas, Nebraska, and the Lower Mis-homeless on account of the flooding of souri and Middle Mississippi valleys, where it is the lower section of Cincinnati and the towns on the Kentucky side of the Ohio

Witnesses Unable to Pick Him as

Supposed Murderer. Baden Baden, Germany, Jan. 21 .having murdered his mother-in-law, Frau Moliter, which accusation he resolutely denies, was to-day confronted with persons who had seen the murderer on the day the woman was killed. They failed to identify the prisoner as the man they had seen.

Protest Against Greater Speed,

street cars in suburban districts is made den Johnson in favor and for the benefit to the Commissioners by the Anacostia of his creditors. Redmond's liabilities are cent of possible sunshine, 100.

Citizens' Association, through its secrestated
sperature same date last year-Maximum, 65: tary, C. A. Burr. Mr. Burr states that owing to the thickly populated section in Anacostia through which the street cars pass the same limit of speed should hold

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military authorities, under direction of the President, to mobilize an army of 13,369,881 fighting men, according to the annual report of the Military Secretary Since the passage of the militia act by Congress in 1903, the militia of the counanxious for a decision, and, of course, try has been technically divided into two classes-the organized and reserve militia. clared his intentions of citizenship, between the ages of eighteen and forty-five Harry S. Edwards, a writer and post- years. By the provisions of the law of urgent need in war, giving him prac-

Organized Militia, The total strength of the organized miofficers, 2,519, company officers, 5,287; total commissioned officers, 8,839; noncommissioned officers, musicians, privates, &c., 103,551; total officers and men, 112,390.

York, and president of the Commercial Since the militia act of 1963 became opington yesterday, but left for New York organized militia, which is due, in part last night. His home is in Attica, N. Y., but he says that the affairs of the bank organizations that were reported by in following table shows the strength of the

Geographical Divisions.

Atlantic Division-General officers and Contract Awarded and Deed of Trust fantry, 52,225; signal corps, 506; hospital corps, 772; total, 61,626.

Northern Division-General officers and in New York or to express any views on general staff, 290; engineers, 551; cavalry,

MALINILIUM LINELIUM.

Members, Families, and Guests Hear Diversified Programme. The Germania Maennerchor entertained

its members and their families and guests at a concert, dramatic production, and ball, at the National Rifles' Armory last ton, of this office, I investigated the state. night. The musical programme, consistment of W. H. Lowdermilk & Co. as to ing of vocal and instrumental numbers, the sale of books in the medical schools of was rendered by the Maennerchor Orchestra, the male chorus, Frank Genth, and Miss Eva Frank.

The concert part of the programme was followed by the dramatic section presenting E. Christiani's song play, "Der Fatalist," book by F. A. Rockar. The various parts in the one-act piece, which immensely pleased the large audience, were aken by Ludwig Deicher, F. A. Rockar, Mrs. Boesenberg-Weber, Mrs. Eschet-Lehnhardt, Miss Lelia M. Helbig, and Fred L. Aue. Miss Ida Ogolf and Miss Eva Frank accompanied the song parts on ceived by the Commissioners from the the piane, and F. A. Rockar acted as

SENATOR FULTON TRIUMPHS.

Defeats Nomination of District Attorney for Oregon,

Senator Fulton has apparently wor his fight against the confirmation of the nomination of W. C. Bristol to be district attorney of Oregon. A subcommittee of the Senate Judiciary Committee yesterday made an adverse report on it to the full committee. The fight has been a bitter one, and went has introduced in the House a modificaso far as to include charges by Bristol's tion of the divorce law of the District riends implicating Senator Fulton in that would, if it were to become law, be the land frauds of Oregon to the extent received with loud acclaim by many unof attributing his antagonism to Bristol to an effort to prevent prosecution no fee for the wife's solicitor shall be a complete vindication of Senator Ful. band shall be required to pay alimony ton from these charges. while a case is pending where the wife

Alleging depression in business and not a fee, nor where alimony is applied to being able to make satisfactory collections for the purpose of meeting his obligations, William Redmond yesterday exeat shall be issued against the husmade an assignment of all his personal band. Protest against increasing the speed of and real estate property to Attorney Haystated at \$4,543.67 and his assets at about Senate, and Representative Burleson in

Architects Elect Officers.

The annual meeting of the Washington of the bill, is to bar the sending of inter-Chapter of the American Institute of state telegrams and letters connected Architects was held in the Octagon. The with cot' is peculation, following officers were elected: President. E. W. Donn, jr.: vice president, William J. Marsh; treasurer, F. B. Pyle; secretary, Percy Ash; committee on ac-Stead, and Snowden Ashford.

Needs Additional Appropriation. Dr. P. G. Smith, superintendent of the Home for the Aged and Infirm, has requested the Commisioners to include an item of \$3,750 in the deficiency bill for contingent expenses of that institution. According to Dr. Smith, the additional appropriation is necessary to meet the ranning expenses for the balance of the fisca!

Will Investigate Ute Trouble.

Capt. Carter P. Johnson, of the Tenth Cavalry, yesterday was appointed a spe cial commissioner to proceed to Itah and South Dakota for the purpose of investigating the causes of the dissatisfaction among the Utes who recently year on the war trail from their reservation.

SOUTH AGAINST FORAKER.

He Is to Have No Delegates Because He Denonneed Secession. Chattanooga, Tenn., Jan. 21.-"Foraker nust receive no votes in the next Repub-

lican national convention from the Southern States" is the edict that has been received from Washington throughout this

The edict comes, as have all others that have been received from the administration in the past, not in writing, but by word of mouth from prominent Republicans who have recently been in Washington. They say this course is prompted on account of a speech made by Senator tary Secretary of the Army-Total Foraker in October last, in which he Number of Males for Duty in Dis- declared that the whole proceeding of secession was "causeless, indefensible, and in the light of subsequent events grotesquely absurd." He is weak with the party in this section, although no Re-In case of need, it is possible for the publican will be quoted on the edict, all admit that none of the Southern States will be found in the Foraker columns.

ASSESSMENT INSURANCE.

Proposed That It Shall Be Regulated Under Legal Supervision.

Senator Gallinger, in the Senate, and Representative Babcock, in the House, assessment, sick, accident, and death in- jury. urance companies in the District.

where larger policies are written.

for the year ending December 31 preceding, showing every feature of their business, and that they have paid all policies at their face. The forms of policies must be approved by the superintendent of

If the value of the bonds deposited by any company falls below that at which they are appraised when first deposited, the superintendent is empowered to re-The total number of males available for in thirty days of the time they are due, or military duty, but unorganized, in the the license of the company is to be for-District is 52,000. The aggregate strength felted. The terms of the bill are not to of the organized militia in the District is apply to any fraternal association or any such organization in the army or navy, or or the employes of any firm or corpo

NEW HOTEL PLAN ACCEPTED

Arrangements to Build.

for \$100,000 Is Placed on Record.

general staff, 290; engineers, 551; cavalry, 26,648; completed arrangements to erect a new hotel on its property, bounded by New hotel on its property hotel on its property, bounded by New hotel on its property hotel hotel on its property hotel signal corps, 425; hospital corps, 705; total, Jeresy avenue, South Capitol and C streets southeast. Plans for the struc-Southwestern Division-General staff fure have been selected, and the contract Book Dealers Complain Because Col- and general officers, 188; engineers, 44; awarded to James L. Parsons, who will by the man, but the presence of the razor cavalry, 481; heavy artillery, 48; light ar- proceed to erect the building as quickly blade could not be explained as possible. The hotel will be six stories | Treed Rayor Blade to Make Saw.

the American Security and Trust Com-

pany. The trust stipulates that the loan

PENSION APPROPRIATION.

tween This Year and 1908.

Representative Cardner, of Michigan,

eported to the House of Representatives

\$4,000 a year and are located at the follow-

cisco, Topeka, and Washington, D. C.

Moines, Iowa; Detroit, Mich.; Knoxville Tenn.; Louisville, Ky.; Milwaukee, Wis.; New York City, and Pittsburg.

Attorneys' Fees and Alimony.

Prohibition of Cotton Deals,

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Sunday included. Telephone, Main

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UNION DENTAL PARLORS,

910 F St. N. W.

was \$140,245,500.

While in District Prison.

Obtained Razor Blade Through He Was Discovered by Officials.

It developed yesterday that Edwin yesterday the fact was made known.

and given a hearing a few days later. He | the chief of the fire department.

The bill requires such companies to de- Boardman, of the police, it was found posit with the District government that besides being wanted in New York, assistance in their power to prevent a United States railroad or municipal Chicago, and St. Louis for petit misde- panic. onds to the amount of \$50,000, where pol- meanors, he was also wanted in Cincinicies up to and not exceeding \$1,000 are nati for breaking jail on December 23, written, and to the amount of \$100,000 1906. The police of that city asked that he be surrendered to them as their Such insurance companies must have prisoner. As a matter of courtesy, cus-\$100,000 paid up capital stock. They are tomary in such cases, the authorities here

to work to make his escape. Warden tin. Harris, aware of this fact, directed that he be placed in one of the strongest cells in the prison. These cells, however, are very old, having been installed when the that additional security be de- jail was built, more than thirty-years posited. All policies are to be paid withen in thirty days of the time they are due, or stead of steel.

Owing to the fact that several of the work sawing his way out.

his round early Friday morning, he noorganized militia by military geograph- Congress Hall Company Completes mere's cell, which opened out into the Trust Company Chooses Board of

The guard, excited, saw that the prisoner was still in his cell, and notified Warden Harris of his find. Mr. Harris im: ately directed that Letchmere be placed in The Congress Hall Hotel Company has another cell, and began a thorough ex-

PROTECTION FOR THEATERS.

Chief Issues Special Instructions Relative to Duties of Firemen, Chief William T. Belt, of the fire department, yesterday forwarded to the Commissioners a copy of a pamphlet recently published by the department relative to the duties of firemen at the theaters, as well as special firemen employed by the management of the theaters. Accompanying the rules is a copy of a new form of report to be submitted by firemen detailed at the theaters, which Chief Belt says will not only insure uniformity, but will also Friends and Makes Saw from provide a handy reference for the mer

and employes of the theater. According to the rules the firemen must report at the theater three-quarters of an hour before the performance and remain until it is over. A thor ough examination shall be made before each performance, of the fire curtain Letchmere, who was arrested here re- the dressing-rooms, flies, hose, fire excently on the charge of robbing the Na- tinguishers, pick axes, and ceiling tional Museum, gave the officials of the hooks. They will then visit the auditorium and see that the exit lights are ability as a jail breaker before being sent back to Cincinnati. It was only tion. Smoking will not be permitted unless it is a feature of the performance, and then only by authority of

In case of a false alarm of fire the firemen shall step out on the stage attract attention of the audience and assure them that all is safe. shall also, in such cases, render all the

THREE NEW INCORPORATIONS. Petitions Filed by Organizations

Which Ask Legal Status. Papers for the incorporation of the onsented to the extradition and asked following concerns were filed in the office of the Register of Wills yesterday The Northwestern Athletic Club. As trustees are named James B. Shugrue, Letchmere must have immediately set Charles H. Evans, and Peter D. Mar-

> The Eastern Social Club is another organization whose incorporation was sought by Frank Foster, Ernest O. Chambers, and John W. Pangle.

The Immanuel Baptist Church, orsion on January 17, wishes to legal right as an incorporated body Percy S. Foster, Charles Werner, and E. Penleton Dickinson appear as the the customary examinations of the bars trustees of the new church and con-

When James Caragan, a guard, made AMERICAN SECURITY ELECTS

Directors and Officers.

and Hear the Report of the Treasurer Read.

ing board of directors: Milton E. Ailes, Charles J. Bell, Henry F. Blount, John C. Boyd, Samuel S. Burdett, Albert Carry William M. Coates, W. Riley Deeble, Robert Dornan, George T. Dunlop, James E. Fitch, William J. Flather, Daniel E. HerCREDIT FOR ALL WASHINGTON

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DORSEY-GILLEN-On Monday, January 21, 1907, by the Rev. W. S. Caughy, assisted by Rev. T. G. Smythe and Rev. David Williams, FRANCIS S. DORSEY and ELEANOR AGNES GILLEN,

DIED. DUEHAY—On Monday, January 21, 1907, at 9 p. m., at her home, 1215 Vermont avenue, PAULINE, the beloved wife of Alexander Duehay, Notice of funeral hereafter. ELY-On January 20, 1907, at 3 a. m., at her home,

221 Twelfth street southwest, Mrs. MARGA-RETHA, wife of George Ely, in the seventieth year of her age. FLETCHER-Departed this life Sunday, January 20, 1907, at 2 a. m., at the residence of his son-in-law, John Reese, 402 N street northwest, ED-UARD, husband of the late Ellen Fletcher and father of Mary Fletcher Reese.

Funeral services Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock from St. Augustine's Church. Requiem mass, HASLAM-On Monday, January 21, 1907, at 6 a. m., GEORGE T., son of the late Col. Thomas Haslam and husband of Mary Herold Haslam. Puneral from residence, 1614 North Capitol street, at 8:30 a. m. Wédnesday, January 23. Services at 8t. Alóystus' Church at 9 a. m. Interment private. (Philadelphia papers please copy.)

HEALEY-Ou Sunday, January 20, 1907, at 1:45 a. m., DENNIS J. HEALEY, aged twenty-five Funeral from his ate residence, 921 D street northwest, on Tuesday morning, January 22, at 10 o'olock; thence to St. Patrick's Church, where a requiem high mass will be said for the repose of his soul. Relatives and friends respectfully in-

20, 1907, at 2:20 a, m., at her residence, 103 Prospect street northeast, after a short illness, CHARLOTTE VIRGINIA, the beloved and devoted wife

of James W. Hicks.

Funeral from People's Congregational Church, M. street, between Sixth and Seventh, Tuesday, January 22, at 2:30 p. m. HODGSON—On Sunday, January 20, 1907, at the residence of her mother, ROSA L., beloved daughter of Lydia and the late John E. Hodgson, Funeral from her late residence, 3005 Cambridge place, Tuesday, January 22, at 2 o'clock. Rela-tives and friends invited to attend.

at 2408 Eighteenth street northwest, Mrs. GARET J., beloved wife of S. F. McBride.

(Lancaster, Pa., papers please copy McNULTY-On January 20, 1907, at Laurel, Md., Mrs. D. L. McNULTY, in the seventy-fifth year of her age. (Pennsylvania papers please copy.)

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Letchmere was arested on January 8,

introduced yesterday a bill to regulate was held for the action of the grand As a result of a canvass by Capt.

> that an officer be sent on to escort him back to that city. Anticipating conviction,

Guards Were Sick.

guards were on the sick list last week, were omitted for a day or so. It was gregation. during this time that Letchmere fell to

ticed several marks and scratches on the wall just below the window of Letchcorridor. He stopped to investigate, and found that besides this, one of the bars of the lower section of the window grating had been completely sawed through The break made by the instrument used Stockholders Hold Annual Meeting had been covered over with soap.

In searching the prisoner's bed a razor blade and a thin piece of steel, several inches in length, were found. The steel piece was the spring from a shoe worn

ompany to secure a loan of \$100,000 from tirely free himself, having learned the takes the place of Commander F. A. be paid within three years at 5 per cent plan of the floor Although Warden Harris directed that met immediately after the ballot by the all visitors to Letchmere's cell be care- stockholders and re-elected the following fully watched, he is of the belief that the officers: razor blade was passed in to the man by C. J. Bell, president; Henry F. Blount, one of his friends. Letchmere, on the vice president; James F. Hood, secretary; contrary, declared that he had it with Howard S. Reeside, treasurer; William A.

him when he was sent to the jail. He McKenney, attorney and trust officer; claimed he had tied it around his neck Ward Thoron, auditor; J. W. Whelpley, yesterday the general pension appropria-down in the middle of his back.

with a string and allowed it to hang bond and security officer; C. E. However, the property of the first string and allowed it to hang bond and security officer; C. E. However, the property of the first string and allowed it to hang bond and security officer; C. E. However, the property of the first string and allowed it to hang bond and security officer; C. E. However, the property of the first string and allowed it to hang bond and security officer; C. E. However, the property of the first string and allowed it to hang bond and security officer; C. E. However, the property of the first string and allowed it to hang bond and security officer; C. E. However, the property of the first string and allowed it to hang bond and security officer; C. E. However, the property of the first string and the property of the first string and the property of the first string and the property of the property of the first string and the property of the first string and the property of the property of the property of the first string and the property of the prope tion bill, carrying a total of \$138,138,500. tion bill, carrying a total of \$138,138,500. Letchmere was thoroughly searched for the current year the appropriation again, and placed in another cell, where he remained until Detective Ryan, of Cin-The principal change is the reduction cinnati, called for him and took him of the number of pension agents from away. Now that the affair is all over, eighteen to nine. The agents receive the officials at the jail have decided that Letchmere was the cleverest prison places: Augusta, Me.; Boston, Buf-breaker they ever had in their institution, furniture, and fixtures. \$756,211.04; other of Chicago, Columbus, Ohio; Concord, although he was a long way from his real estate, \$65,086.92; cash on hand and in Des Moines, Detroit, Indianapolis, Knox- freedom when he succeeded in getting ville, Tenn.; Louisville, Milwaukee, New into the corridor. He would have had to ville, Tenn.; Louisville, Milwaukee, New into the corridor. He would have had to York, Philadelphia, Pittsburg, San Fran-escape either by the main doorway or by \$1,600,000; undivided profits, \$242,500.89;

The agencies to be abolished are those either route would have been well-nigh at Augusta, Me.; Concord, N. H.; Des impossible, COL. JOHN McELROY IS HOST.

NEW DIVORCE LAW SUGGESTED. G. A. R. Men at Luncheon, Col. John McElroy, past senior vice Unique Limitations Proposed as to ommander-in-chief of the Grand Army, entertained a distinguished party of G. Representative Rhinock, of Kentucky, A. R. men at luncheon at the Barton House yesterday. The guests of honor were Gen. R. B. Brown, commander-inchief of the Grand Army of the Republic, and the pension committees of the G. A. R., comprised of Past Commanderin-chief A. G. Weissert, of Wisconsin; Karl Hau, the George Washington University professor, who is charged with of Pensions; Gen. William A. Ketcham. former attorney general of Indiana: Col. . H. Galding, of Vermont, and S. H. where she has agreed to pay her lawyer

Harper, of Iowa. Invited to meet these veterans were Past Commander-in-chief Burdett, Washington, D. C.; Past Commanderin-chief John R. King, Maryland; Maj. Senator Culberson introduced in the

the House, yesterday, a bill aimed at Funeral of J. H. Richards To-day. dealing in cotton futures. The method to The funeral of James H. Richards will The Senate has received the credentials body. Mr. Richards was one of the oldest made by Hon. H. E. Erwin, W. A. of Senator-elect H. A. Richardson, of residents of East Washington, having Moore, A. M. Sinsabaugh, M. M. Lewis, McBRIDE-On Monday morning, January 21, 1907, Rush Marshall, Robert Delaware, and Seantor Crane, of Massanowden Ashford.

Rush Col. J. Fraise Richard. Col. Richards Seantor Crane, of Massafor many years identified with the busiard was elected president, with M. M. The Washington Herald has but found dead in his chair. He is survived bers. one name. It is The Washington Herald every morning in the week, them sons.

Alleged Bigamist Caught. Word was received at detective head-

PAINLESS EXTRACTING FREE quarters last night that Clarence H. Schools, who is wanted in this city on the charge of bigamy, had been arrested at Tappahannock, Md. Schools was indicted some time ago, but disappeared shortly afterward. Last Friday Detective MacNamee was sent after the man and succeeded in locating him yesterday. He will bring Schools to tals city to-morrow by way of Baltimore.

> Meet Me at the Porltry and Pigeon Show, Masonic Temple, afternoon or night.

ional Safe Deposit. Savings, and Trust order to learn what other barriers be elected in the place of Martin F. Morris, would have to pass before he could en- whose term has expired, and Joseph Paul Miller, U. S. N., resigned. The directors

> assistant secretary and treasurer; A. F. The treasurer's report was read at the stockholders' meeting, showing the fol-

lowing assets and liabilities:

Assets-Loans, \$8,322,243.86; stocks and bonds, \$1,607,031; bank building, vault, bank, \$1,564,383.27. Total, \$12,314,956.09 one of the high windows. Escape by posits, \$6,955,573.95; trust deposits, \$170,-either route would have been well-nigh 591.15; certified checks, \$276,850.96; interest

reserve, \$69,433.15. Total, \$12,314,956.09. The gross profits for the year were \$495,522, and the net profits \$342,793. MATHEMATICIANS EXAMINED Entertains Party of Distinguished

To Fill Vacancy in the McKinley

Manual Training School. In order to select an instructor of mathematics to a vacancy in the McKinley Manuel Training School, an examination was held yesterday, and will be continued to-day, in the Franklin building. The examination was announced several days ago, and any candidate was declared eligible who had not been previously connected with the teaching force of the public schools. Great difficulty has been experienced by the examining bo which consists of Dr. Chancellor, Miss Sarah Simmons, and Harry English, in securing applicants who are qualified for

the position. In previous examinations no candidate obtained a mark sufficiently high to receive the position., The small salary atin-chief John R. King, staryfallu, stay,
H. G. Jacobs, of the Loyal Legion; Gen.
Ellis Spear, Col. Thomas Hopkins, past
commander, Department of Potomac;
to-day's examination is not productive of to-day's examination is not productive of to-day's examination is not productive of to-day, January 20, 1907, at 2:20 a, m., at her residence, 103 Prosmust be made for a larger remuneration.

Men of '44 Organize Unique Club. A unique organization was formed take place at 2 o'clock this afternoon Sunday evening, when a number of men from his late residence, 1117 New Jersey who were born in 1844 met at 606 Fifth avenue southeast. The Potomac Post, No. street and completed arrangements for 11, G. A. R., of which the deceased was a club to be organized of those who bea member, will attend the obsequies in a gan life in that year. Addresses were ess interests of the city. His death, Sat- Lewis as secretary, and these two offiurday night, was a sudden one, he being cers were authorized to enroll na A meeting will be held in the by his wife and seven children, four of near future, at which the leading events and characters of 1844 will be discussed.

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